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Department of Natural Resources
1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210
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RE: Board Docket No. 2015-026, Cause No. 131-141 – Spacing Order Request

To Whom It May Concern:

This is in regards to the Spacing Order Request submitted by Crescent Point Energy U.S. Corporation, scheduled to be heard this morning at 9:00 a.m.

The BIA is requesting that you defer making a decision on this matter until we have completed a thorough review of this spacing order request. Several concerns have been addressed by the Ute Tribe Energy & Minerals Department regarding possible drainage, overlapping spacing orders and the overall protection of the correlative rights of the mineral owners within the area to be spaced.

Your utmost consideration to defer this hearing is appreciated.

If you have any questions, please contact the Branch of Real Estate Services, Minerals and Mining Office, Mrs. Paula Black, Realty Specialist at (435) 722-4313, Mr. John Gates, Realty Specialist at (435) 722-4312 or Mr. Antonio Pingree, Deputy Trust Superintendent at (435) 722-4322.

Sincerely,

Superintendent